New Department of State Government Begins Active Operations.

The State Board of Charities and Correction met in the basement of the Capitol yesterday; framed a set of by-laws governing the procedure of the new department; named important standing committees, and adjourned subject to the call of the chair.

Besides the members of the board, Governor Swanson and the new secretary, Rev. J. T. Mastin, were present, and it was decided to begin work at once.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch,
No. 1102 Hull Street.
At a joint meeting of the City Assembly and Board of Aldermen last
night, all city officers now holding
office were re-elected, as follows:
City Auditor, L. M. Nunnally,
City Attorney, Charles L. Page,
City Physician, Dr. E. T. Rucker,
City Collector, J. P. Robinson,
City Collector of Delinquent Taxes,
J. P. Robinson.
Superintendent of the Almshouse and

Superintendent of the Almshouse and of City Poor, S. J. Jones. Superintendent of the Cemetery, S. J.

President of the Board of Health, M. P. Rucker. Inspector of Weights and Measures, W. T. Pugh.

New Civic Boards.

The following civic boards were

School Board: First Ward, George

School Board: First Ward, George Washington Payne: Second Ward, B. O. Nunnally: Third Ward, J. B. Clopton; Fourth Ward, Aaron L. Sampson. Board of Health: First Ward, Waverly Nunnally: Second Ward, J. C. Redford: Third Ward, A. S. Frostic; Fourth Ward, Charles O'B, Cowardin. Police Commissioners: First Ward, J. B. Rudd; Second Ward, M. A. Campbell; Third Ward, J. T. Abbott; Fourth Ward, W. D. Fergusson.

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Committee Chairmen.
The various committees of the Council elected chairmen as follows:
Finance, W. B. Bradley; Streets, R. L. Patram; Buildings and Lands, J. B. Rudd; Ordinance, C. C. Jones; Fire, R. C. Broaddus; Cemetery, John W. Moore; Almshouse, H. H. Adkins; Light, J. S. Wakefield; Health, A. R. Hooker; Elections, B. A. Gill; Schools, T. E. Taylor, Industrial, A. A. Adkins.
Bridge Commissioners—C. G. Jones to succeed A. G. Evans, deceased; R. C. Broaddus to succeed A. Royall.

Death of Miss Taylor.

Miss Lettle E. Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Taylor, died at the rhome in Swansboro yesterday afternoon after a long illness, aged twenty-six years. The funeral will take place to-morrow morning from the home of her parents, and the interment will be made in Maury Cemetery.

Overflow of Street.

The Street Committee yesterday afternoon looked into the situation at the address of Rosa V. Crawford, in

Plain Talks on Fertilizers

Increasing and Safeguarding the Wheat-Crop



Personal Mention.

Mr. J. B. Westcott filed application yesterday for a position as patroiman on the Manchester police force, show-

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which she made a plea for an offering for the benefit of the Colored Orphans' Home, on Third Street, where the order supports eighteen orphan chil-

ren. Officers for the coming year will be

elected and installed to-day. At 3 o'clock the exercises of the children's department will be held. The work of the convention will close to-night.

MADE GOOD SHOWING

CAR RAN INTO FENCE

DR. KARO COMING

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PROGRESS IN WORK FIELD SECRETARY FOR TEMPERANCE TO RAISE FUNI

Union Theological Seminary

Elects New Man to Help

Secure \$300,000.

Bi-County Convention of Woman's Union Holds Annual Meeting Here.

Meeting Here.

Eighty delegates, representing the W. C. T. U., of Richmond, Henrico and Hanover counties, assembled yesterday at Clay Street Methodist Church in their annual bi-county convention. The feature of the morning session was the address of Mrs. G. M. Johson, president of the convention. Reports were read from the various committees, showing the work of the year to have accomplished good results.

Officers for the coming year were elected as follows: President, Mrs. G. M. Jobson; Vice-President, Mrs. W. M. Bickers; Recording Secretary, Mrs. W. H., Jenks; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Sydney Brooks.

Following the election Mrs. G. C. Carpenter addressed the convention on the "Needs and Opportunities of the W. C. T. U."

In the afternoon memorial services were held to the members of the convention who have died since the last meeting. Those falling to answer the roil call yesterday on account of death during the year were Mrs. A. D. Jon-

meeting. Those falling to answer the roll call yesterday on account of death during the year were Mrs. A. D. Jon-kins, Mrs. Fannie Woodward, Miss Ada Richards, Miss Holman, Mrs. Tiller and Mr. Baden Shelton (honorary mem-

ber).

Last night the annual gold medal contest was held. The prize was won by Miss Pauline Harmon, reciting "Old Soapy." The other contestants were Misses Myrtle Crump, Maude Rowitt and Sammie Hunt, each of whom was presented a beautifully bound copy of Shakespeare.

Announcement was made yesterday by the Rev. Walter W. Moore, D. D., president, that the Union Theological Seminary staff will be augmented October 1st by the acquisition of the Rev. Robert F. Kirkpatrick, pastor of the Highland Presbyterian Church, of Austin, Tex., as field secretary, succeeding the Rev. A. D. P. Glimour, who was elected by the board last May as associate professor of Hebrow language and literature.

Mr. Kirkpatrick is a grate of Davidson College, North Carolina, and of Union Seminary in the class of 1900. He has held pastorates in South Carolina and Indian Territory.

In coming to Union Seminary Mr. Kirkpatrick takes immediate charge of the effort to raise a centennial fund of \$300,000 to mark the one hundredth anniversary of the seminary, in 1912. Of this fund the Presbyterian churches of Richmond have already pledged \$40,000, which is being invested in a handsome new building now in course of construction. Tucker May Speak Here. Tucker Mny Speak Here.

Chairman James B. Doherty, of the
City Democratic Committee, has invited Hon, H. St. George Tucker to
deliver an address here during the
campaign, and it is probable that he will
accept. No definite arrangements have
been made concerning the matter, but
it will be taken up more definitely
later on.

To Visit in Amherst.

Fourth and Bainbridge Streets, a point where the recent heavy rains have done considerable damage. The committee will meet to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock to further consider this matter. Personal Mention. In a certificate of honorable discharge from the United States Army, after four years' service. Dr. E. Stewart Honaker, who has been indisposed for several weeks, is sufficiently recovered to resume his practice.

Nelson to Defend Title.

SAN FRANCISO, CAL., September 8.— Battling Nelson will defend his title as lightweight champion against Joe Gans, who lost his laurels to the Dane at their last encounter, at Colma, to-morrow afternoon. Opinion as to the relative merits of the fighters appears as evenly divided as when they last met. Supporters of Gans contending that he was not in proper condition when he lost the title, expect him to keep Nelson at a greater distance, while the Dane's admirers count confidently on his aggressive rushing and ability to absorb punishment to gain him the victory. For Six Months his Suffering was Beyond Words - One Mass of Irritation and Itching was Dreadful -Slept Only from Sheer Exhaustion Almost Out of His Mind - After 24 Hours' Use of Cuticura Slept Like an Infant and Then was

CURED IN ONE MONTH BY CUTICURA REMEDIES

Assembling in its twenty-eighth annual session yesterday, the Grand Fountain, United Order of True Reformers, took up many questions affecting the welfare of the race.

The body was called to order by Grand Worthy Master W. L. Talor, of Richmond, at 10 o'clock, and when the credentials committee had seated the members, it was found that between 500 and 600 delegates were present, besides many visitors.

The annual address of the grand worthy master, the appointment of steading committees and other routine work occupied the morning session. In the afternoon the credentials committee presented 178 new delegates for the grand worthy lodge degree. Following the ceremonies attending the initiation, the report of the grand worthy master was read.

Among other recommendations was one proposing that the convention of the Grand Fountain be held blennially instead of annually, as has been the was delivered by Mary E. Holmes, the response being made by Rosa Thompson, of Philadelphia. An important feature of the evening program was the address of Rosa V. Crawford in the fand of the convention of the dadress of Rosa V. Crawford in the fand of the convention of the battalion headquarters will be inspected.

CAR RAN INTO FENCE

TWO GREAT FLIGHTS

CLUB AT SOUTH BOSTON.

"I am seventy-seven years old and one day, some years ago. I fell from a step-ladder, bruising my heel. In a few days I could not walk. I could not walk. I could not walk. I could not walk is set in. The doctor had not cured me of that when I was taken with eczema from head to foot. I was sick for six months and what I suffered tongue could not tell. I could not sleep day or night because of that dreadful itching; when I did sleep it was from sheer exhaustion. I was one mass of irritation; it was even in my scalp. The doctor's medicine seemed to make me worse and I was almost out of my mind. I read of Cuticura and sent my wife to the druggist, who was a member of my lodge of Odd Fellows, for a set of the Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment and Cuticura Resolvent. I used them persistently for twenty-four hours. That night I slept like an infant, the first solid night's sleep I had had for six monthe. I was not afraid to use plenty of Cuticura Ointment and Cuticura Soap with hot water and in a week's time I was able to put on my clothes again. In a month I was cured. From that day to this I cannot praise the Cuticura Remedies too highly. I may add that I have a very heavy head of hair which I owe to Cuticura. W. Harrison Smith, R.F.D. 2, Mt. Kisco, N. Y., Feb. 3, '03,'
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Mr. H. F. Vaughan, of No. 810 West Broad Street, suddenly lost control of the machine, dashing into the iron railing surrounding the Lee Monument, knocking out an entire panel and doing much damage to both front wheels, Mr. Vaughan and two friends who were with him at the time escaped injury. The car was caught and held in the fence and Mr. Vaughan, after alighting, quickly had it under control. Upon examination it was found that in some manner the steering gear had got out of order, making it impossible to guide the car. The accident was in no wise Mr. Vaughan's fault.

Special Violin Sale

Noted Scientist of Berlin to Address Richmond Physicians.

At the regular meeting of the Richmond Academy of Medicine and Surgery last night Dr. G. Paul LaRoque read a paper on "Differential Diagnosis of Intraabdominal Tumors." The papers was discussed by Drs. Hugh M. Taylor, C. R. Robins, W. W. Dunn, W. S. Beazley, R. A. Nichols, P. D. Lipscomb, T. B. Leonard and M. Pierce Rucker. September 8, 9, 10. comb. T. B. Leonard and M. Pierce Rucker.
Dr. Joseph Simmons, of Ginter Park, was nominated for membership.
Dr. William Karo, of Berlin, who will attend the International Tuber-culosis Congress in Washington this month, has acepted an invitation from the academy to read a paper before its next meeting. By Sig. Guiseppe Vitale



CLUB AT SOUTH BOSTON.

Democrats of the Town With Great Enthusiasm Form Organization.

SOUTH BOSTON, VA., Soptember S.— At a meeting of Democrats held at this place last night a Bryan-Kern-Glass Campaign Club was organized, with about 100 members. The meeting was called to order by Mr. R. H. Beazley, editor of the News, upon whose motion Hon. J. M. Carrington was called to the chair; Mr. R. Chiles Beazley was requested to act as secretary.

The following officers were elected: President, Hon. J. M. Carrington; First Vice-President, C. C. Ba ksdale; Second Vice-President, Hon. Joseph Stebbins, Jr.; Third Vice-President, W. W. Hodges, Secretary, R. C. Beasley; Treasurer, J. E. Wood; Sergeant-at-Arms, C. T. Morris.

Stirring speeches were made by Messrs. Joseph Stebbins, Jr., Mr. B. Boker and R. H. Beazley.

A committee was appointed on membership and it is likely that nearly the entire Democratic strength of the precinct will be enrolled.

Mr. C. C. Barksdale, member of the State Executive Committee, was requested to secure a speaker or speakers from a distince, for a grand rally in the next few weeks, Appointed Grand Marshal,
Mr. Oscar J. Adams yesterday received from the Grand High Priest, his commission as Grand Marshal to the Grand Royal Arch Chapter Masons in Virginia. Mr. Adams belongs to all of the Masonic organizations here, and is past master and secretary of St. John's Lodge, No. 36. He is one of the best known Masons in the city, and the approintment mit with the approval of all the lodges. Sue Former Directors.

MACON, GA., September S.—Charging that they were legally responsible for the fallure of the Exchange Bank, a suit for the recovery of \$500,000 was to-day filed by the receivers against eleven former directors, and also against the estates of three deceased directors. Prof. Vitale is a violinist of na-tional reputation, and has with him on this occasion a rare collection of violins. This artistic collection of violins. This artistic collection of violins was personally collected by Sig. Vitale, and each one is of rare value. Price \$15 and upward. The public are cordially invited to call on Prof. Vitale and inspect the instruments.

A display is being made at THE CABLE COMPANY'S warerooms, \$13 East Broad Street. City Committee Called.
Chairman James B. Doherty yesterday called a meeting of the City Democratic Committee for Friday night at Murphy's Hotel. The committee will meet at 5 o'clock, and after a brief session the members will attend the Bryan-Kem-Lamb Club in the same building in a body.

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MEET BYARS AGAIN

One Experience Seems Enough for Republican Candidate in Ninth District.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

BRISTOL, VA., September S.—Congressman Slemp to-day flatly refused to meet Hon. J. Cloyd Byars, Demonstratic congressional nominee in the Ninth District, in joint debate at Lebanon. The two met yesterday at Jonesville, and Slemp's refusal is significant of the statement of Byars, and Glorent would never meet him again.

Byars then challenged both Slemp and Muncy. Upon their refusal to join him in a discussion, Byars spoke to about 400 people in the courthouse, while Slemp's delegation, including himself, Tom Muncy, of Bland county, and others, headed by a brass band, spoke to a much smaller crowd in a nearby grove. Byars was heartily applauded throughout. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Lakeside Schedule Changes.

Beginning Saturday night, September 12th, the extra car which has been run all the summer to Lakeside Park on account of the dancing parties, will be discontinued. This car at present leaves First and Broad Streets at 11:20 and Lakeside at 12 midnight. This is the only change to be made in the schedule of the Lakeside line this fall, as far as can be determined at present.

MUST KEEP THE LEPER,

Orville Wright Controls His Aeroplane
ns He Pleases.

WASHINGTON, September 8.—At
Fort Myers to-day Orville Wright made
two of the greatest aeroplane flights
ever made in this country, when he
remained in the air over eleven minutes on his first flight and nearly
eight minutes on his second.

There was apparently no reason why
the flights could not have been of
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